

Petition No. 1762 of 2021

BEFORE THE UTTAR PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION LUCKNOW

Date of Order: 21.12.2021

PRESENT:

Hon'ble Shri Raj Pratap Singh, Chairman Hon'ble Shri Kaushal Kishore Sharma, Member Hon'ble Shri Vinod Kumar Srivastava, Member (Law)

IN THE MATTER OF

Petition U/s 61(d), 86(1)(e) And 181(zd) and other Relevant Provisions of the Electricity Act 2003, CRE

Regulations, 2019 And PPA.

M/s Simbhaoli Power Pvt.Ltd. Through its Managing Director Unit-Simbhaoli, Distt-Hapur

..... Petitioner

AND

- U.P. Power Corporation Ltd. through its Managing Director Shakti Bhawan, 14, Ashok Marg, Lucknow.
- Madhyanchal Vidyut Vitran Nigam Limited 4A, Gokhale Marg, Lucknow
- The Chief Engineer
 Power Purchase Directorate
 Shakti Bhawan, 14, Ashok Marg,
 Lucknow

..... Respondent

The following were present:

- 1. Shri. D.D Chopra, Counsel SPPL
- 2. Shri. Divyanshu Bhatt, Counsel, UPPCL
- 3. Shri. Deepak Raizada, CE(PPA), UPPCL

Order

(Date of Hearing: 9.12.2021)

1. The petitioner has PPA dated 26.4.07 to export 14 MW surplus power from its 20 MW bagasse based generating plants. Subsequently, the petitioner









entered into SPPA dated 4.6.14 to supply 26 MW power out of its 28 MW bagasse based generating plant.

- 2. The petitioner intends to use blended fuel for supply of power from its 28 MW plant at the proposed tariff of Rs.6.6/unit.
- 3. The petitioner has prayed as follows:
 - fix tariff for mixed fuel of 20% Bagasse + 80% Biomass source used as fuel by the Petitioner to export 26 MW from its 28 MW generation plant to Respondent No. 2, and further direct Respondents to allow the Petitioner to use the above mixed fuel of 20% Bagasse and 80% Biomass for export of 26 MW to Respondent No. 2 by suitably amending PPA dated 04.06.2014,
 - Any other suitable order/relief allowed as deemed fit and proper under the facts and circumstances of the case may be passed/allowed by this learned Commission.
- 4. Shri. D.D Chopra submitted that the 28 MW plant is so designed that it can run efficiently on mixed fuel (bagasse blended with biomass) and due to increased prices / low availability of bagasse fuel it has proposed to mix 80% biomass fuel. The petitioner has prayed before the Commission to fix tariff for mixed fuel supply.
- 5. Shri. Bhatt, Counsel of UPPCL submitted that the petition is not maintainable under legal provisions of EA,03 in which it has been filed.
- 6. The Commission directed UPPCL to file its reply on law and facts within 4 weeks and the petitioner to file its rejoinder within 2 weeks thereafter.

List the matter on 8.3.2022.

(Vinod Kumar Srivastava)

Member

(Kaushal Kishore Sharma)

Member

(Raj Pratap Singh)
Chairman

Place: Lucknow
Dated: 21.12. 2021